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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title:

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Previously submitted:

Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on

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The filing fee is calculated below:

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[] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[]	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	0	\$0.00
[]		\$450.00		\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the third month: \$1	,020.00		\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month: \$1	,590.00	,	\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month: \$2	,160.00		\$0.00
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		\$790.00		
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract 1/2 of	\$0.00		
[]	Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1		\$0.00	
	TOTA	L FEE:		\$790.00

- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$0.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the RCE filing fee is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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